

# Litigation in the new world order: the disputes of the future

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Uncle Sam's  
trusts  
jurisdictions  
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# Uncle Sam's trusts jurisdictions of the future

- ❑ Increasing numbers of trusts being set up in
  - ❑ South Dakota
  - ❑ Wyoming
  - ❑ Nevada
  - ❑ New Hampshire
- ❑ Why?
- ❑ British Offshore perspective – have clients being moving structures to these places? If so, which ones?
- ❑ Have major trust disputes started there?



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How well equipped  
for major  
international trusts  
litigation are the new  
trusts jurisdictions?





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**ASIA: is Hong Kong  
going to be the big  
international  
litigation centre that  
it has been?**







Is it boom  
time now for  
Singapore?



Is London falling?

# Trial by media

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1. The importance of PR and media consultants
  2. Will we move closer to US style justice?
    - (a) Full media coverage of trials;
    - (b) Elected judges?
  3. Is it now ever appropriate for justice to be conducted in private? (offshore v onshore approach)
  4. Will we be safe taking unpopular cases?
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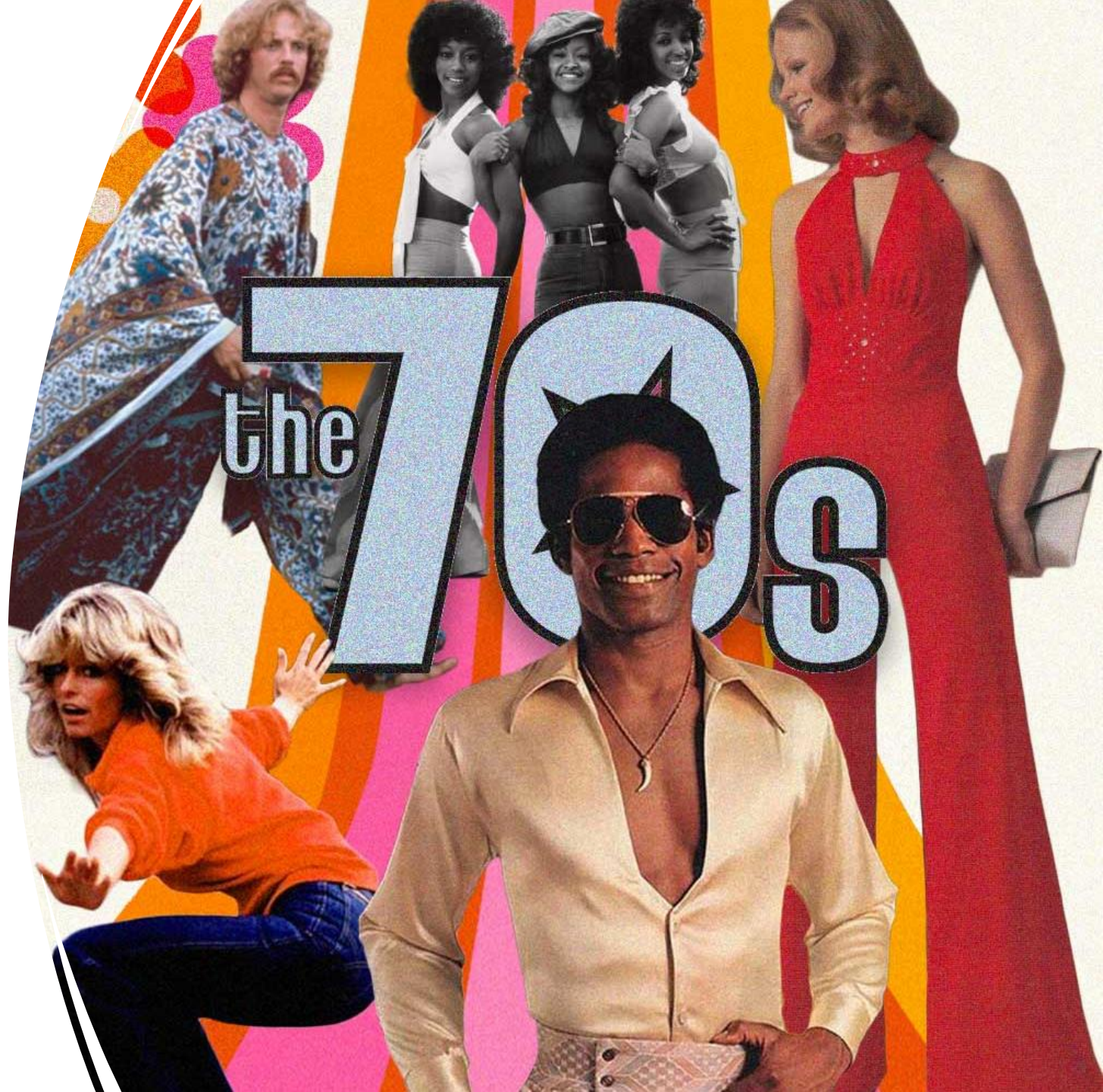




# ***Blast from the past?***

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- ☐ hyperinflation
  - ☐ A new cold war
  - ☐ An energy crisis
- ....Ring any bells?





# New themes

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- ❑ Crypto
- ❑ Cybersecurity
- ❑ Surrogacy
- ❑ ESG
- ❑ Philanthropy
- ❑ The metaverse

